UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE AT CHATTANOOGA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA) Case No. 1:23-cr-00092
v.) District Judge Travis R. McDonough
THEODORE B. TRAISTER) Magistrate Judge Christopher H. Steger

<u>ORDER</u>

U.S. Magistrate Judge Christopher H. Steger filed a report and recommendation (Doc. 24) recommending that the Court: (1) grant Defendant's motion to withdraw his not guilty plea to Count Two of the three count Indictment; (2) accept Defendant's guilty plea to Count Two of the three count Indictment; (3) adjudicate Defendant guilty of attempted enticement of a minor to engage in sexual activity in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 2422(b); and (4) order that Defendant remain in custody pending sentencing or further order of this Court.

After reviewing the record, the Court agrees with Magistrate Judge Steger's report and recommendation. Accordingly, the Court **ACCEPTS** and **ADOPTS** the magistrate judge's report and recommendation (Doc. 24) pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1) and **ORDERS** as follows:

- Defendant's motion to withdraw his not guilty plea to Count Two of the three count Indictment is GRANTED;
- 2. Defendant's plea of guilty to Count Two of the three count Indictment is **ACCEPTED**;
- 3. Defendant is hereby **ADJUDGED** guilty of Count Two: attempted enticement of a minor to engage in sexual activity in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 2422(b); and
- 4. Defendant **SHALL REMAIN** in custody until further order of this Court or sentencing in this matter which is scheduled to take place on **August 9, 2024, at 9:00 a.m.**

SO ORDERED.

/s/Travis R. McDonough
TRAVIS R. MCDONOUGH
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE